

Austro-Hungarian Empire

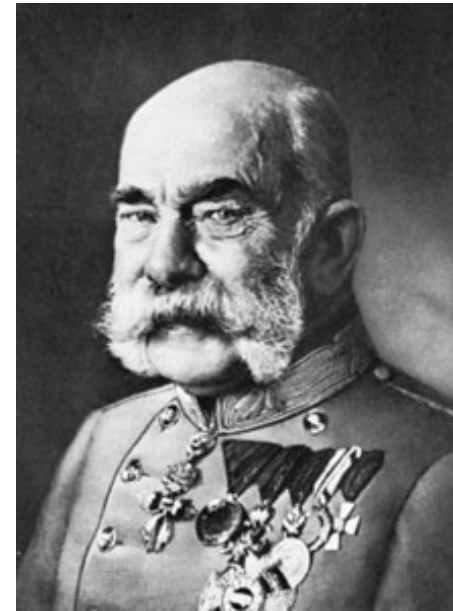
1867-1918



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Key points

- Dual Monarchy (Austria and Hungary)
- Leader: Franz Josef
- German official language
- Development occurred:
 - railways increased,
 - feudalism decreased,
 - citizens had civil and political freedoms



Balkan Territories

- Balkan territories very important to landlocked Austria- Hungary
- Bosnia given to Austria- Hungary (much to the dismay of the Serbs)
- Balkan Wars – Serbs gain territory and **confidence**

